

Paraeducator Training Academies

The OPI Paraprofessional Consortium, in conjunction with regional CSPD Councils have training available for paraprofessionals and their supervising teachers in the following "COTOP Academies".

- 1) Instructional Teamwork
- 2) Orientation to Special Education
- 3) Interpersonal Skills
- 4) Personal Growth and Development
- 5) Student Supervision
- 6) Instructional Strategies
- 7) Behavior Management
- 8) Instructional Technology
- 9) Life Skills
- 10) Significant Communication Support Needs
- 11) Significant Supports for Challenging Behavior
- 12) Significant Health Support Needs
- 13) Autism Spectrum Disorders

- 14) Assisting with Phonics & Phonemic Awareness in the Classroom
- 15) Assisting with Reading Fluency in the Classroom
- 16) Assisting with Vocabulary & Comprehension in the Classroom
- Assisting Grades K-4 with Mathematics in the Classroom
- 18) Number Theory & Rational Numbers
- 19) Algebraic Concepts and Spatial Reasoning
- 20) Orientation to Bilingual Education
- 21) Language Development & Acquisition
- 22) Instructional Methods for Second Language Learners
- ✓ Each of the CSPD regions have trainers available to teach these "Academies".
- ✓ Contact the regional coordinator for names of trainers or to arrange trainings.
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